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West Valley City Community and Economic Development Team Earns Best of State Statue in Community Development

West Valley City – West Valley City’s Community and Economic Development Team was awarded the Best of State Statue (BOSS) in the Community Development category at the 2012 Best of State Awards Gala on May 22. The Community and Economic Development Team also received the Best of State Medal for City Planning in the Community Development category. The BOSS is awarded to the most outstanding medal winner in each of the Best of State categories. The Best of State Awards recognize those organizations and individuals who excel in their endeavors, use innovative approaches or methods and contribute to a better quality of life in the State.

“We are honored to receive the Best of State Statue,” said Nicole Cottle, Director of Community and Economic Development. “There were many deserving nominations in our category and we are humbled to be named the most outstanding in Community Development. Our team has worked very hard on the numerous economic development projects throughout West Valley City and will continue to work toward fulfilling the City’s vision.”

West Valley City’s Community and Economic Development Team was nominated for working to support the City’s vision of growth and to stimulate economic and business opportunities. The team was selected for the award amongst 20 public and private nominees. The focal point of this effort is Fairbourne Station, which broke ground on May 19, 2011. These 40 acres will define the city’s center, adding new residences, commercial areas, green space, and the city’s first upscale hotel to the existing transportation and civic centers.

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